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USE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Applicants hereby respectfully petition the
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to
respond to the Office Action (Paper No. 6) dated **October 22,**
2002 for a period of **one (1)** month from **November 22, 2002** to
and including **December 23, 2002.**

Attached hereto is a response to the restriction
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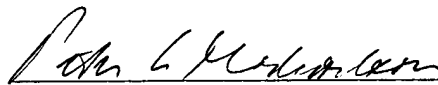
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